accessing it are included and said host device includes an information processing unit for controlling separately said memory area based on said management information.

## Please add the following claims:

- 17. (New) A data processing system according to claim 2, wherein a memory unit and a host device capable of accessing it are included and said host device includes an information processing unit for controlling separately said memory area based on said management information.
- 18. (New) A data processing system according to claim
  3, wherein a memory unit and a host device capable of
  accessing it are included and said host device includes an
  information processing unit for controlling separately said
  memory area based on said management information.
- 19. (New) A data/processing system according to claim
  4, wherein a memory unit and a host device capable of
  accessing it are included and said host device includes an